| UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT | | EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS |
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| WILLIAM CHARLES STEELE, | § | |
| Plaintiff, | § § | |
| versus | § § | CIVIL ACTION NO. 1:06-CV-485 |
| BILLY ROWLES, et al., | § § | |
| Defendants. | § § | |

MEMORANDUM ORDER OVERRULING PLAINTIFF'S OBJECTIONS AND ADOPTING THE MAGISTRATE JUDGE'S REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

Plaintiff Williams Charles Steele, a prisoner confined at the Jester III Unit of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, Correctional Institutions Division, proceeding *pro se*, filed this civil action against Billy Rowles and Jasper County.

The court ordered that this matter be referred to the Honorable Keith F. Giblin, United States Magistrate Judge, at Beaumont, Texas, for consideration pursuant to applicable laws and orders of this court. The magistrate judge recommends granting the defendants' motion for summary judgment, and dismissing this action with prejudice.

The court has received and considered the Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge, along with the record, pleadings, and all available evidence. Plaintiff filed objections to the Report and Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge.

The court has conducted a *de novo* review of the objections in relation to the pleadings and the applicable law. *See* FED. R. CIV. P. 72(b). After careful consideration, the court concludes the objections are without merit.

ORDER

Accordingly, plaintiff's objections are **OVERRULED**. The findings of fact and conclusions of law of the magistrate judge are correct, and the report of the magistrate judge is **ADOPTED**. The defendants' motion for summary judgment is **GRANTED**. A final judgment will be entered in this case in accordance with the magistrate judge's recommendations.

SIGNED at Beaumont, Texas, this 3rd day of September, 2009.

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE